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**Hokioi ranei Pouakai**

**Confident, Respectful, Curious Kids**

**1st July 2011 – Term 2 – Week 9 – Family Issue**

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**WAIKARI SCHOOL NEWS – PRINCIPAL**

Tena koutou, nga mihi ki a koutou,

A very busy and exciting term today comes to an end!

Sadly this week we farewell Mrs Todd. Mrs Todd’s contribution throughout the first two terms in Room 1 has been fantastic. We look forward to Mrs Todd continuing to relieve for us during the remainder of 2011. Next term our newly appointed teacher for Room 1 Miss Gorman will begin her career at Waikari School. Miss Gorman is very enthusiastic and brings a wide range of skills and enthusiasm to her new position.

Term 2 has produced some challenges in the form of earthquakes but more importantly we have experienced a range of learning highlights. Room 3‘s courtroom battle involving the defence of Mr Wolf and the prosecution of the Trotter brothers was outstanding! Our school and zone cross country, Kowai Learning Network enrichment activities including the newly formed Kapahaka group, 7-a-side winter sport training and our full-school inquiry focus: Inventions all contributed towards an action packed term.

Next term, we look forward to: school production, Kiwi sports, CANTAMATHS, the Hanmer triathlon and a lot more. It will be both exciting and very busy!

Thank you to all of our parent helpers who regularly put up their hands to help in and around the school. Your efforts enable us to provide a fantastic programme for your child/ren.

The staff and students have worked incredibly hard this term and I wish them a well deserved break.

Have a safe and relaxing holiday break with your child/ren.

Ka kite ano

Andrew Kemp

Principal

*Community Newsletter*

*Next issue ~ August 12th*

**LOST -**Big Black Beautiful Male Cat

Much Loved, Please Phone:

Tony Kedge –

314 4600

**School Notices:**

* **School Bus:** For the remainder of the year your bus driver will be Caryn. If your child/children are not going to be on in the mornings it is important to leave a message on the school answer phone **before 7.30am,** or txt Caryn-027449165.
* **Thank you**: to Room 3 families for the support with the Bread Fundraiser for Camp - this was another fundraising success.

**School Diary:**

**Monday 1st August** Term 3 starts at the usual time of 9.00am

**Wednesday 3rd August** Cantamaths

**Tuesday 23rd August** Kiwisports at Greta Valley (p.p.d – Thursday 25th August)

**Meetings:**

**Church Notices**

**Garden Club:** Monday 8th August –

1.30pm – Hawarden Presbyterian

Church Lounge

**Anglican: Sunday 17th July** Glenmark – 10.00am

**Presbyterian: Sunday 17th July** Waikari St James – 9.00am - AGM

**Catholic: Sunday 17th July** Hawarden – 5.00pm

**General:**

**C:\Documents and Settings\Physio\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\BGRHCLXH\MC900439931[1].wmfComing soon – PILATES!**

**Do you want to overcome back and neck pain? Would you like to increase your flexibility and build strength, creating a body that is longer, leaner and more supple?**

Pilates is a gentle exercise class which is suitable for anybody. It is an anti-ageing exercise, because it tones and strengthens the muscles without impact on joints. Pilates improves posture and strengthens the parts of the body that age attacks, including stomach muscles, inner thighs and upper arms.Stevie Bryson, from Amberley Physio & Gym Ltd would like to begin classes in August and depending on the number of participants, there will be a daytime and/or early evening class in Waikari.

Please ring Carolyn or Stevie at Amberley Physio, 03 314 8477 for further information and to register for the classes by 21th July 2011. Don’t delay – ring now!!!

 

**Student of the Week**

**~ Trinity O’Brien~**

***For: Perseverance and effort with ‘Inventions’ during Term 2!***

**UNITED RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB**

**DRAW FOR SATURDAY 16 JULY 2011**

**DIV 2**

**Hurunui bye**

**DIV 3**

**Kaiapoi v. Hurunui -2.30pm -Kai 1, G. McGiffert**

**U18**

**Northern Combined. Southern -2.00pm - Amberley 1, K. Lilley**

**U 16**

**Hurunui v. Saracens (Barber Trophy) -2.30pm - Culverden 1, D. Clark**

**U 14 ½**

**Ashley-Oxford v. Hurunui -11.30am - Lob Lwr 1, D. Taylor**

**U 13**

**Kaiapoi v. Hurunui (Nth Canty Trophy)-11.40am - Kai Oval, W. Giles**

**U11½ CHAMPIONSHIP SECTION**

**Kaiapoi Gold v. Hurunui -10.30am - Kai Oval, Club Ref**

**U10**

**Hurunui v. Glenmark-Cheviot -12.00pm, Culverden Jnr 3**

**U9**

**United v. Amberley -11.20am, Hawarden Jnr**

**U8**

**United v. Amberley -10.30am, Hawarden Jnr**

**U7**

**United v. Amberley Blue -11.10am, Hawarden 1**

**U6**

**United v. Amberley Blue -10.30am, Hawarden 1**

**Hurunui Rugby –** Ball Saturday **23rd July – 7.30pm**

**Amuri Area School Hall - Guest Speaker, DJ: X Effects**

**$50 pp, Cash Bar – Dress Formal**

**Prizegiving:** To be held Friday 12th August at Hawarden Rugby rooms, 4pm for game of rippa, kids v parents. Prizegiving to start at 5pm sharp. Each family to bring a plate (1 per player), for a shared tea would be appreciated. Bar will be open, and music. All families welcome and members of the community.

**Event coming up...** Bus trips for U6 – U9 teams to watch Canterbury v Taranaki 20th August!! Further details to follow, put this date in your diary now!

Piano Lessons: From beginners to advanced

Ring - Nortje Bruins A.C.T.L - 3144057